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R 281320Z APR 76
FM AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5133
INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS
AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EMIN, ETRD, LU
SUBJ: VISIT OF C.M. COSMAN, CONSULTANT WITH NATIONAL COMMISSION ON SUPPLIES AND SHORTAGES, RE SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RAW MATERIALS AND STOCKPILES

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1. ECONOFFICER HAS MADE TENTATIVE APPOINTMENT FOR GROUP MEETING OF OFFICIALS OF ECONOMICS MINISTRY ON MORNING OF JUNE 2. COSMAN COULD TRAVEL FROM BRUSSELS AFTERNOON OR EVENING OF JUNE 1. THIS ONE SESSION WILL FULLY COVER GOL ACTIVITIES ON SUPPLIES AND STOCKPILES. GOL REPRESENTATIVES WOULD APPRECIATE BRIEFING BY COSMAN ON HIS STUDY.

2. FYI. ONLY IN AREA OF PETROLEUM PRODUCTION DOES GOL ALREADY HAVE SECURITY STOCK ARRANGEMENTS. THIS IS IN THE CONTEXT OF IEA AGREEMENTS. LUXEMBOURG HAS NO REFINING CAPACITY AND IMPORTS ALL PETROLEUM PRODUCTS FROM BELGIUM, FRANCE, GERMANY AND THE NETHERLANDS. AN EMERGENCY STOCKPILING ARRANGEMENT ALREADY EXISTS WITH BELGIUM. ANOTHER IS NEARING SIGNATURE WITH FRANCE AND OTHERS ARE PENDING WITH GERMANY AND THE NETHERLANDS. THERE IS NO GOVERNMENT INVOLVEMENT SO FAR IN STOCKPILES OF MATTERIALS SUCH AS COAL OR NATURAL GAS. PRIVATE USERS SUCH AS ARBED STEEL COMPANY MAINTAIN OPERATIONAL BUT NOT EMERGENCY RESERVES. IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE BELGIAN-LUXEMBOURG ECONOMIC UNION THERE IS A BILATERAL AGREEMENT TO SHARE STOCKS OF ALL COMMODITIES DURING AN EMERGENCY,
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BUT A JOINT GOB-GOL DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY

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IS REQUIRED FOR THIS TO ENTER INTO EFFECT.

3. PLEASE CONFIRM ITINERARY AND HOTEL REQUIREMENTS. PHILLIPS

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